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TAGS: EFIN

SUBJECT: AGRIBUSINESS - HAITI

1. EUGENE GRASBERG, REPRESENTATIVE OF THE AGRIBUSINESS COUNCIL, WILL ARRIVE HAITI WITHIN NEXT FEW DAYS TO ARRANGE THE NEXT STEP IN THE OPIC-COUNCIL AGRIBUSINESS PROGRAM. GRASBERG WILL ADVANCE VISIT OF EXECUTIVES OF SHORR-STERN FOODS, SOUTHLAND FROZEN FOODS AND FOODWAYS NATIONAL, COMPANIES STARTING DETAILED FEASIBILITY STUDY OF PROJECT TO GROW AND PROCESS VEGETABLES. OPIC AND COUNCIL ARE PARTICIPATING FINANCIALLY, ALONG WITH THE COMPANIES, IN THIS STUDY.

2. GRASBERG WILL BRIEF EMBASSY ON THIS POTENTIAL PROJECT AND ON STATUS OF PLATEAU CENTRAL RANCH PROJECT, WORLD FOOD SYSTEMS, INC., PROPOSAL AND ESSENTIAL OILS PROJECT. HE WILL ALSO EXPLORE POTENTIAL NEW PROJECT FOR COCOA INVOLVING HERSHEY'S.

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3. OPIC UNDERSTANDS THAT DONNASSON ALPHONSE NO LONGER WITH

CANADEP, HAVING BEEN APPOINTED A SENIOR OFFICIAL WITH THE  
CENTRAL BANK. OPIC WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY'S APPRAISAL OF  
EFFECT THIS LOSS OF LEADERSHIP WILL HAVE ON CONTINUITY OF  
COUNCIL-OPIC-GOH AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM. INGERSOLL

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